

國立臺南大學 97 學年度 學士班二年級轉學生 招生考試 英文 試題卷

I. 段落填空 (50%)

說明：第 1 至 25 題，共計 25 個空格。請選出最適合題意的字或詞，標示在答案卷上，答錯不倒扣，25 題共計 50 分。

Taiwan's baseball chief is ready to 1 the blame if the nation's teams 2 meet the expectations of millions of 3 at the Beijing Olympics.

"If they don't play in an ideal way, I will definitely offer to 4, Fans will be clear as to who is 5," Chinese Taipei Baseball Association (CTBA) president Alex Huang said yesterday.

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| 1. A. shoulder | B. support | C. fight | D. match |
| 2. A. look out | B. fail to | C. stick to | D. point out |
| 3. A. foes | B. friends | C. fans | D. officials |
| 4. A. fight | B. defeat | C. destroy | D. resign |
| 5. A. on the top | B. dumped out | C. washed up | D. at fault |

I lay back and closed my eyes, 6 the drums beat *rush-rush-rush* and the dancers chant *hurry-hurry-hurry*. Someone was 7 bells, too, and for a 8 I thought of Christmas and sleigh bells. 9 I opened my eyes again, Cram was gone.

I glanced around, trying to remember 10 we had parked the car. I looked 11 the crowd, back at the trees, over at the concession stand. "They've gone," I thought. "They've left me." I pushed through the people.

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| 6. A. listen to | B. and listen to | C. listening to | D. listened to |
| 7. A. beating | B. jingling | C. pulling | D. digging |
| 8. A. moment | B. period | C. time | D. duration |
| 9. A. When | B. As long as | C. While | D. As far as |
| 10. A. where | B. how | C. what | D. which |
| 11. A. up | B. down | C. for | D. through |

To promote energy saving and emissions 12, the Ministry of Economic Affairs (MOEA) said yesterday that 13 today, the nation's households, elementary and junior high schools would receive a discount of 14 20 percent on their electricity bills if they cut their electricity use by 15 10 percent from the same period a year ago.

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| 12. A. deduction | B. introduction | C. induction | D. reduction |
| 13. A. starting | B. it is starting | C. to start it | D. it is started |
| 14. A. at least | B. up to | C. coming up | D. taking |
| 15. A. more than | B. in part | C. even with | D. later on |

Seoul, South Korea—It is 10:00 p.m. and students at the elite Daewon prep school here 16 in a study hall that 17 a 15-hour school day. A window is propped open so the evening chill 18 them awake. One teenager studies standing upright at his desk to 19 dozing.

Kim Hyun-kyung, who 20 nearly perfect scores on her college entrance exams, is preparing for physics, chemistry and history exams.

"I can't let myself 21 even a second," said Ms. Kim, who 22 attending Harvard University, Yale University or another 23 American college. And she has a good chance. This spring, as in previous years, all but a few of the 133 graduates from Daewon Foreign Language High School who applied to 24 American universities won 25.

"Going to U.S. Universities has become like a hug fad in Korean society."

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| 16. A. is cramming | B. are cramming | C. are crammed | D. have crammed |
| 17. A. is ending | B. ends | C. ended | D. has ended |
| 18. A. can keep | B. has kept | C. keeping | D. is keeping |
| 19. A. look down | B. go on | C. stay up | D. keep from |
| 20. A. accumulate | B. accumulating | C. accumulated | D. has accumulated |
| 21. A. waste | B. is wasted | C. is wasting | D. has wasted |
| 22. A. looks for | B. dreams of | C. fights for | D. studies to |
| 23. A. inspiring | B. precious | C. prestigious | D. progressive |
| 24. A. selective | B. selecting | C. selection | D. select |
| 25. A. admission | B. emission | C. mission | D. administration |

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II. 閱讀測驗 (20%)

說明：第 26 至 35 題，每題請分別根據該篇文章的文意選出一個最適合的選項，標示在答案卷上，答錯不倒扣，10 題共計 20 分。

Question 26~29

Many people are unhappy at work because their jobs don't suit their personalities. Although people are complex, author Peter Urs Bender classifies people into four personality types. To make it simple, he compares people to birds. The four bird types are the owl, eagle, dove, and peacock.

Owls are analytical people who like to know things work. These people work best in jobs with numbers and facts. Eagles like to be in the driver's seat. They are born leaders and like to be the boss. The dove is a bird that represents peace. So, dove personalities excel in jobs where they are helping others. Lastly, the peacock is the show-off. These people like attention and like to be popular. They are most productive in jobs where they can be very social. Bender recommends taking a look at your personality before you choose your career. People are happier in jobs where they use their strengths.

26. What is the best title for this article?
- (A) Careers in the Workplace
 - (B) Animals in the Wild
 - (C) Choosing a Career That Suits Your Personality
 - (D) Animals at Work
27. Based on the four animal personalities, what type of job would an owl most enjoy?
- (A) Nurse.
 - (B) Accountant.
 - (C) Actor.
 - (D) Professional athlete.
28. Where is the conclusion of the passage?
- (A) Lines 1-2.
 - (B) Lines 4-5.
 - (C) Lines 8-9.
 - (D) Lines 10-11.
29. The word "Personality" is closest in meaning to
- (A) qualities of a person.
 - (B) a famous person.
 - (C) where a person works.
 - (D) what kind of pets people own.

Questions 30~31

SuperFit Gym

Come to SuperFit Gym this weekend to get your one-week free pass. We are positive you will want to join. SuperFit offers a variety of workout classes and over 5 floors of weight equipment to get you into shape. We have certified fitness teachers from Cuba, the USA and Spain. If you sign up with a fitness instructor this weekend, we guarantee you will lose 5 kg in 5 weeks or you will get a free month's membership. Some conditions apply. Burn away the extra flab before the summer at SuperFit Gym!

30. What can be inferred about SuperFit Gym?
- (A) It is quite large.
 - (B) It is too busy.
 - (C) It's expensive.
 - (D) They will be sold out soon.
31. According to this advertisement, if you get a fitness trainer, you can
- (A) get a free month's membership.
 - (B) lose weight.
 - (C) gain 5 kg.
 - (D) win a trip to Cuba.

Questions 32~35

Bill Gates is the richest man in the world. His worth is estimated at over US\$70 billion. Bill Gates is the owner and founder of Microsoft, the largest computer software company in the world. Today, Microsoft earns over US\$28 billion per year. Some people consider Bill Gates the best businessman that ever lived. Thirty years ago, few people knew much about computers, but Gates saw a gold mine.

Bill Gates was born in 1955. His mother was a teacher and his father was a well-known lawyer. Bill was very good at math and attended private schools growing up. He was first introduced to computers when he was only 13 years old. In his teens, Bill Gates was developing computer software programs. Even though Gates was skilled in computers, he went on to study law at university. During this time, Bill Gates, along with his future partner, Paul Allen, formed BASIC computer operating software. Bill knew the home computer market was about to explode. So, within one year, Gates left university and formed Microsoft with Paul Allen. In 1981, Microsoft teamed up with IBM and it became the operating system for IBM home computers. This partnership has made Microsoft the household name that it is today.

32. According to this article, why did Bill Gates pursue a career in computers?
- (A) He was good at math.
 - (B) He knew home computers were going to be popular.
 - (C) He didn't do well in school.
 - (D) He was a billionaire.

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33. The word “worth” in line 1 means
(A) reputation.
(B) company.
(C) deserving.
(D) money and value of all possessions.
34. What was key to the success of Microsoft?
(A) The partnership with IBM.
(B) Forming BASIC software.
(C) The growth in popularity of BASIC computers.
(D) The US government.
35. What does the author mean by “household name” mentioned in line 14?
(A) Microsoft is the name of the home of IBM.
(B) Most people know the name of Microsoft.
(C) Most houses have a Microsoft.
(D) Microsoft is not well-known.

III. 翻譯 (30%)

說明：將下列前兩句中文翻譯成適當之英文，並將後兩句英文翻譯成適當之中文，同時將答案寫在「答案卷」上。

1. 發生龍捲風時，最安全的藏身之地就是建築物內。盡快前往洗手間，因為此處使用加強混凝土建造，裝備有堅固的安全門。(7 points)
2. 的確，從另一方面來說，他確實顯示著使我家破滅的徵兆，因為他一星期又一星期地住著，接著又月復一月的呆著不走，因此身上的錢早就都用完了；可是家父還是沒有勇氣去向他多要。(8 points)
3. The only thing I had when I jumped off the yacht was my wrist watch. I had to pawn that to get these clothes. But I'll give you my address. You can get in touch with me the minute you get to New York. (8 points)
4. After winning awards in 1985 for his student work Lee spent the next six years working on screenplays, eventually making his directorial debut in 1992 with “Pushing Hands”. (7 points)